

ROCIS How-To Guide for Agency Users of the Executive Order Regulatory Review Module (EO Reg Review)

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1. HOW TO Log Into ROCIS

If you are logging into the system, please point your browser to www.rocis.gov

Read and click the acknowledgement button on the For Official Use Only Warning Screen.

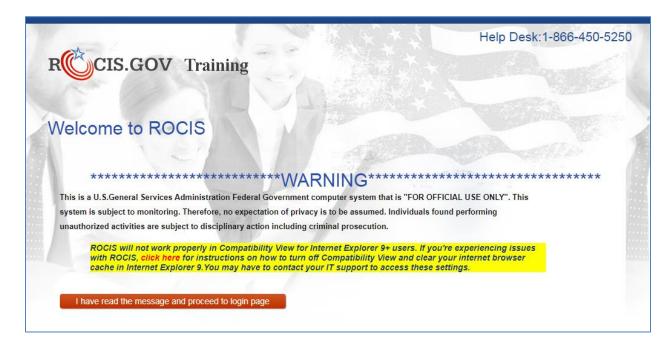


Figure 1.1: For Official Use Only Warning Screen

Enter your User ID (normally, your first initial and last name) and password and click the Login button.

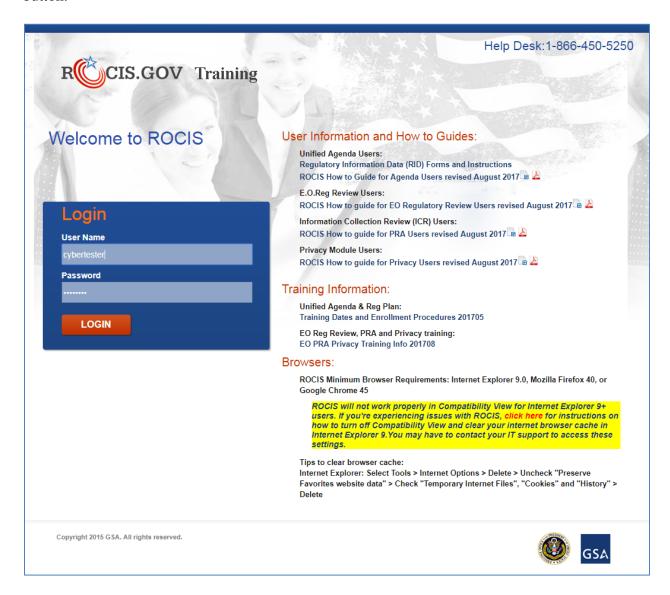


Figure 1.2: Login Screen

ROCIS requires a second layer of authentication, in addition to your user name and password. After logging in with your user name and password, ROCIS will ask you to enter the MFA token to gain access.

The MFA token is a 6-character code generated at login and emailed to the user's email address in ROCIS. The MFA token must be entered into ROCIS within 10 minutes, starting from when your user name and password were authenticated.

Validated tokens are good for 12-hours. You will only need your user name and password to gain access during the 12-hour period after the MFA token is validated.



Figure 1.3: Multi-Factor Authentication Screen

EO Reg Review processing is part of the Agenda/Regs module of ROCIS. You may be taken directly into the module or to a screen requesting you to choose between two or more of the ROCIS modules, depending on your ROCIS privileges. Please select 'Agenda/Regs' to use the EO Reg Review facility.

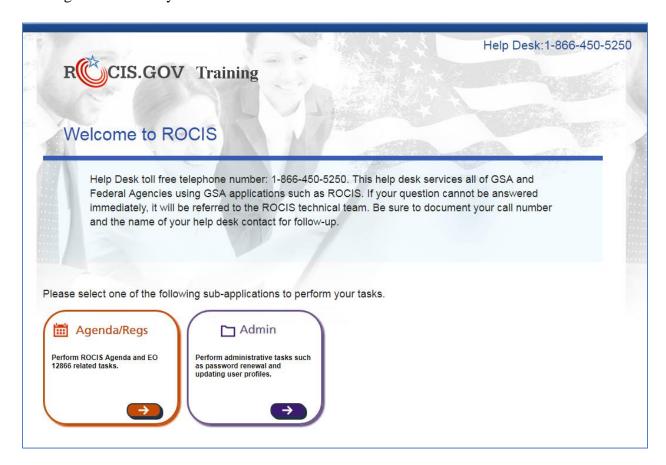


Figure 1.3: ROCIS Broadcast Message Screen

Your initial screen is 'Unsubmitted EO Packages'.

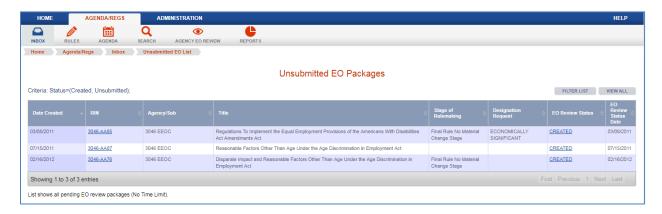


Figure 1.4: Unsubmitted EO Packages Screen

You will be able to navigate throughout the EO Reg Review module via tabs which will be discussed in more detail later in this manual.

2. HOW TO Change Your Password

Whenever your password is set to rocis123 or your password has expired, the system will force you to change your password when you log in. On this 'Change Password' screen, you will need to enter your new password twice. Be sure that your new password conforms to all of the rules given for password formation. Click the 'Change Password' button. You will receive a confirmation message from the system indicating that your password has been changed.

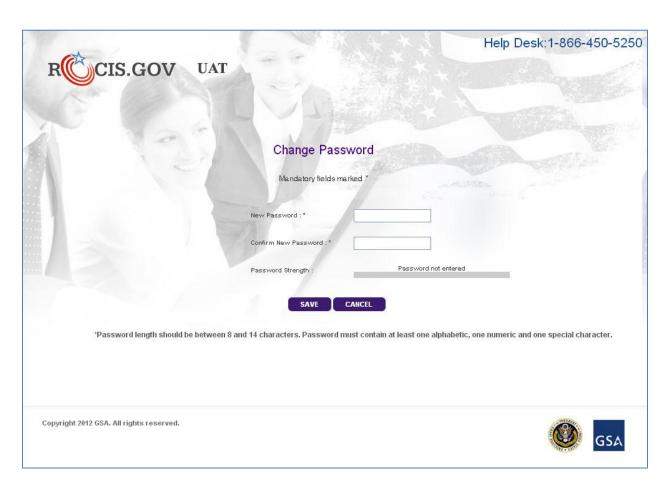


Figure 2.1: Change Password Screen for New Account

Your ROCIS password is good for 90 days; then, it will need to be reset. About two weeks before the password expires, ROCIS will give you a warning whenever you log in that your password is expiring in XX days.

To change your password, choose 'Admin' from the tab row:

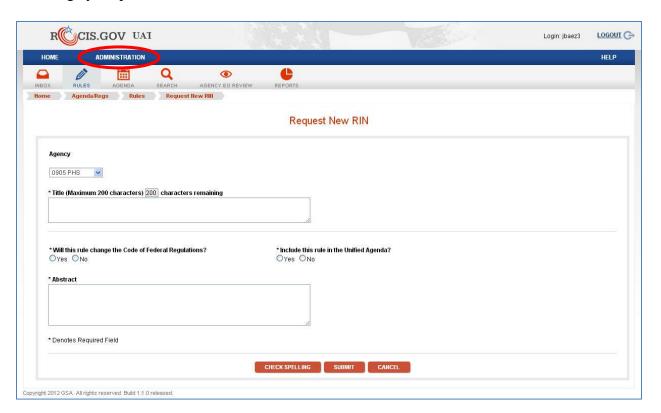


Figure 2.2: Admin Tab on Tab Row Screen

This will take you to the administrative functions of ROCIS. The system will default to placing you in your 'User Profile' screen.

From there, choose the 'Change Password' Option on the secondary tab row.

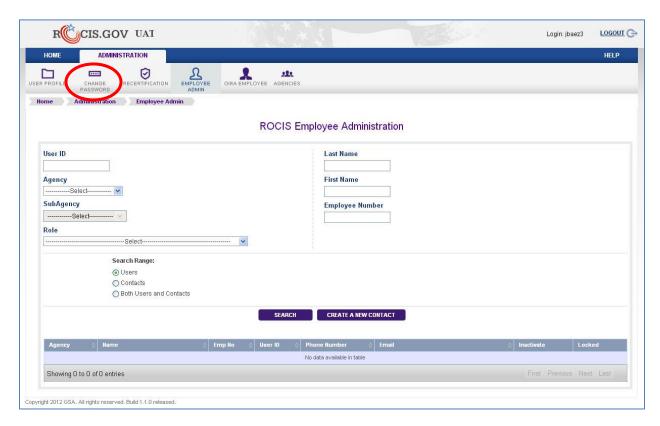


Figure 2.3: 'Change Password' Tab on User Detail Screen

You will need to enter your old password, your new password (must be at least 8 characters, must have one number and one special character—like oira@1234) in both boxes as indicated. Click the 'Change Password' button. When you get the confirmation screen, click 'OK'. Please do not share your password with anyone—this would be a violation of the Security Agreement that you signed and could result in the loss of your access to ROCIS.

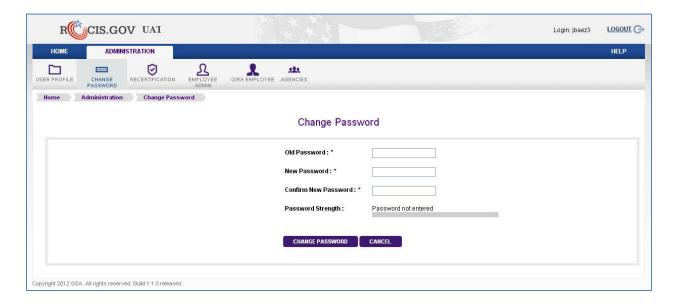


Figure 2.4: Change Password Screen for Expiring Password

3. HOW TO Review and Change Your User Profile

Your 'User Profile' tab is adjacent to the 'Change Password' tab on the Admin tab line (refer to figure 2.3 above). Select the User Profile tab to update your ROCIS information.

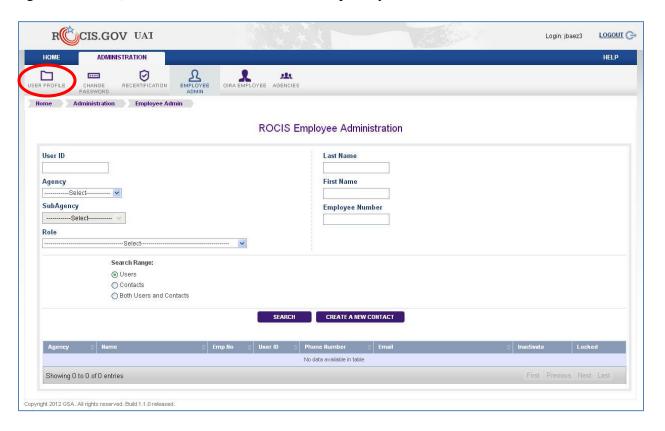


Figure 3.1: Admin Tab to Change User Profile

Upon initial entry, please verify and make appropriate changes to any information, paying particular attention to your telephone number and email. Then, be sure to save your information. The 'Save' button is located at the bottom of the screen.

Please be sure to return to the User Profile to modify your personal information, such as your phone number or email address, whenever changes occur.

Your profile will also display the role(s) that have been assigned to your user id. A complete discussion of the agency EO Reg Review roles can be found in Appendix A.

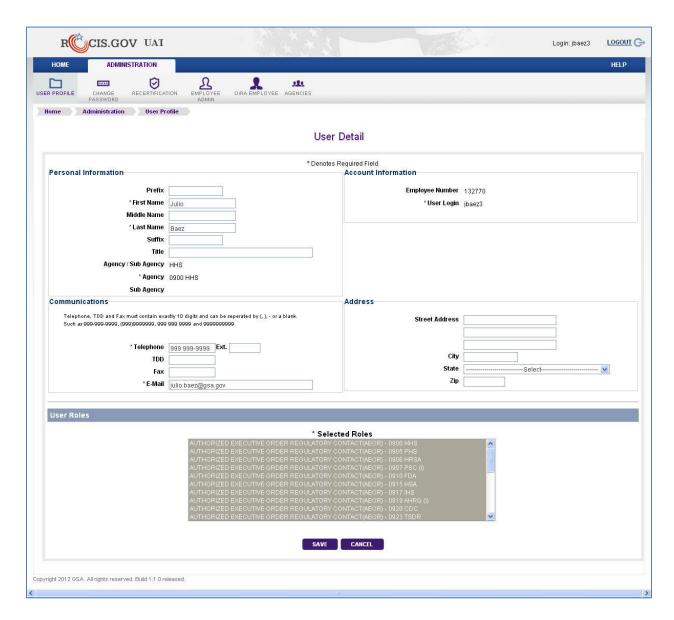


Figure 3.2: User Detail Screen

To leave the User Profile page, scroll to the bottom and click 'Save' (if you changed anything) or 'Cancel'. This will take you back to the ROCIS Employee Administration screen.

4. HOW TO Use the ROCIS Employee Administration Search

The purpose of the Employee Administration Screen is to allow ROCIS users to find or identify other ROCIS users via a search capability. For instance, if you would like to look up another user's email, enter some portion of the user's name in the appropriate box. ROCIS will display any users with a matching entry for the name entered. Below is an example of a search for anyone with a last name starting with 'ba'.

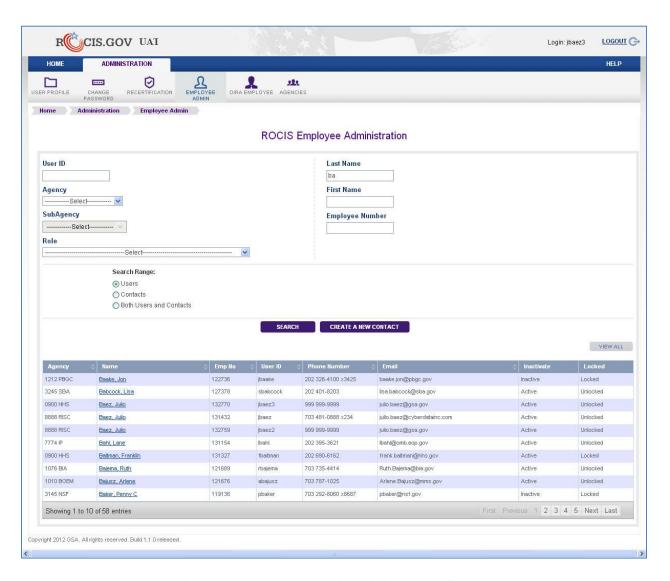


Figure 4.1: Employee Administration Screen

You can also search users by role. Let's assume that you are a RRP and do not have the ability to submit an EO Reg review to OIRA. You have a package that is ready to be submitted, but the person who normally submits for you is out of the office. Since you know that the role with 'submit' privileges is the EORC, you can search for other users at your agency with that role.

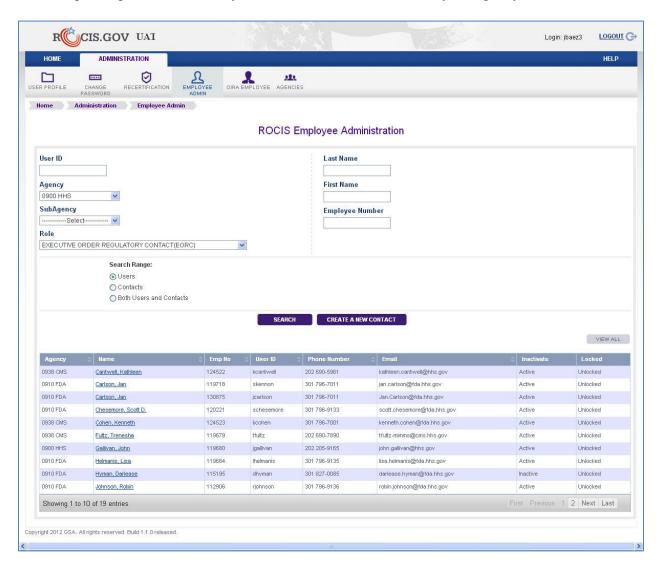


Figure 4.2: Search by Role

If you are the Regulatory Privileges POC for your agency, it is a good idea to periodically check the authorized users for your agency. Simply enter your agency code, select any of the agency EO Reg Review roles (see Appendix A for a complete list) from the role drop down list, and click the 'Search' button. If the resultant list reflects users who have left your agency and still have active accounts, please contact the ROCIS Help Desk at 866-450-5250 so that the accounts can be inactivated and locked. Accounts are never deleted.

5. HOW TO Recertify

Any user acquiring a ROCIS production account must execute a security agreement provided by RISC and return it to the ROCIS security officer. The ROCIS system now requires that users recertify the terms of the security agreement every year.

Approximately two weeks before your security agreement anniversary date, ROCIS will begin to remind you that you will need to recertify. The recertification tab can be found under the Admin tab.

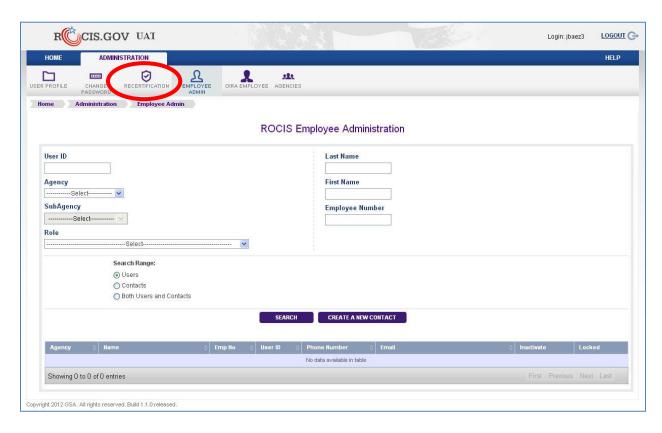


Figure 5.1: Admin Tab with Recertification Option

On the recertification screen, there is a link to the Certification Form. You must click on the link and bring up the document 'ROCIS Security Requirements for System Users'. After reviewing the document, close the document window, check the 'Confirm' box, and enter your current ROCIS password. Then click the Recertify' button. This will reset your certification anniversary date for another year.



Figure 5.2: User Recertification Screen

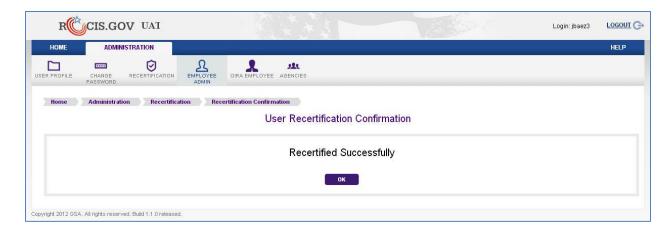


Figure 5.3: Recertification Confirmation Screen

If you do not recertify through the process above BEFORE your anniversary date, ROCIS will automatically send you to the 'User Recertification' screen the next time you log in. If you do not recertify, you will be logged out. This process will be repeated until you do recertify.

When you have satisfied your ROCIS administrative functions, click on the Agenda/Regs 'Inbox' tab to return to the Created Request List Inbox for Agency users.

6. Creating an EO Reg Review Request

To create an EO Regulatory Review package for a rule, the rule must already be in the Unified Agenda, which is another module within the ROCIS system. You can search the rules in the agenda by selecting the 'Search' tab and then choosing the 'Rule Search'.

There are many different ways to search for the rule. If you already know the Regulatory Identifying Number (RIN), simply enter it in the appropriate box. In this example, the user has selected his agency (0900) and associated sub agency (0905), so all rules in the current agenda for that sub agency will be returned in the search result.

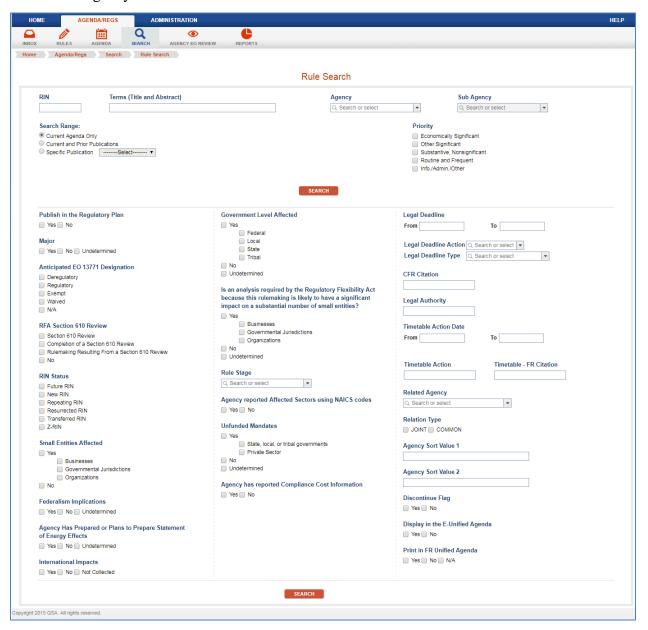


Figure 6.1: Rule Search Screen

The first column on the resultant screen is a link to the rule in the most recent agenda it appears in. Click on the link to review the rule information from the agenda.

NOTE: Whenever a column heading is underlined (like RIN, Agency or Rule Title in this screen shot) it can be used as a sort key. The RINs will come up in order by agency code. If you want to change the sort order, click on the column heading and the output will be reversed. Click on it again, and the sort order will be reversed again.

Normally, ROCIS displays 10 items per page. In this example, there are two pages of results. If you want to see all of the results without pagination, click 'View All' and ROCIS will create one long list with all of the items.

To select a rule, click on the RIN link.



Figure 6.2: Rule Search Results

When you select a rule, ROCIS will display the 'View Rule' screen. This screen reflects information about the rule that has been generated by ROCIS (like RIN Created Date) or entered by a user.

To begin an EO Reg Review package, choose the EO Package link from the Rules menu.

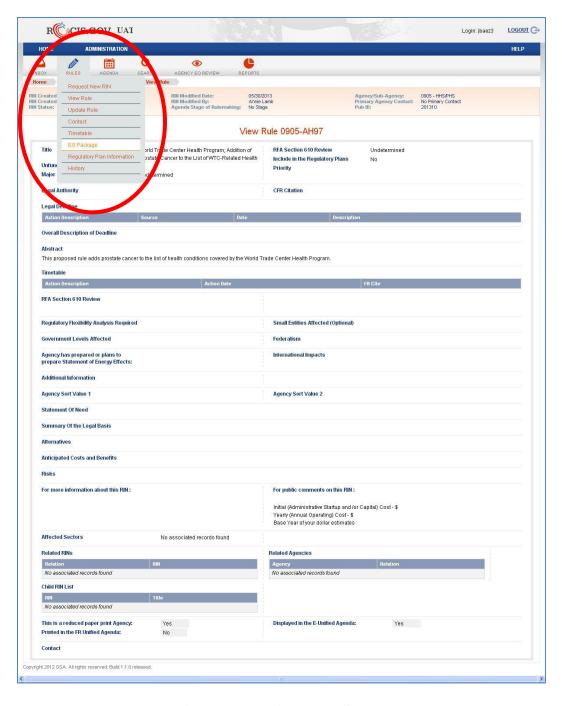


Figure 6.3: View Rule Screen

ROCIS will navigate to the EO Review Packages screen for the rule that was selected.

There may have been other packages for this rule that were submitted to OIRA previously, and the review already concluded. These would be displayed on this screen and would have a conclusion date. If there are previously reviewed packages, you can continue.

ROCIS may also reflect an EO package here that has been submitted but is not yet concluded—it is still pending at OIRA. In that case, you should not create a new package. ROCIS will only allow one EO Review package per RIN to be pending at any given time.

In this example, there are no other packages, so the process can be continued by clicking on the 'Create EO Review Package' button.



Figure 6.4: EO Review Package Screen with 'Create' button

Once you click on 'Create EO Package', you will be presented with the EO Package screen for the rule that you selected. Most of the information needed for the package is copied from the Agenda and displayed to you in this screen.

The arrows and bar on the right hand side of the screen indicate that there is more information below. The arrows can be used to scroll up and down.

ROCIS will save the EO package, and give you a confirmation message.

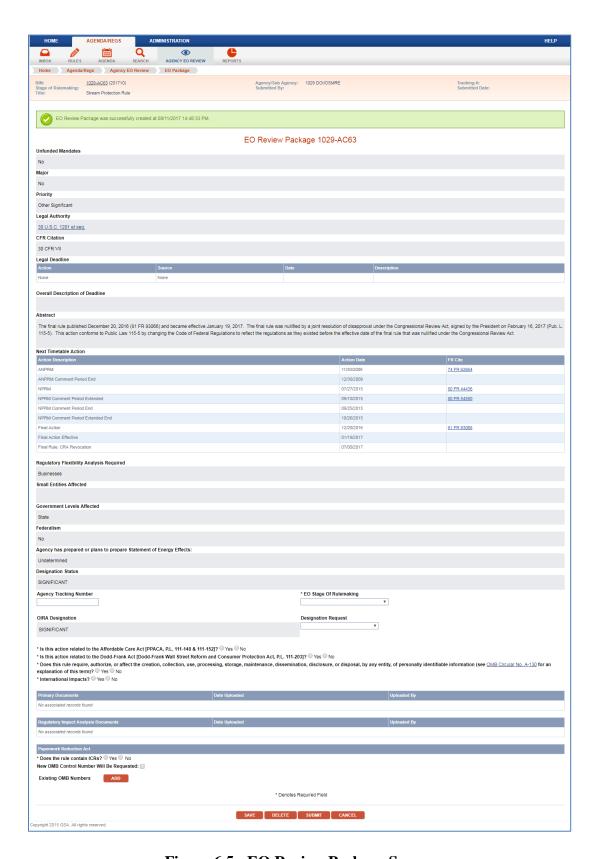


Figure 6.5: EO Review Package Screen

Your package now exists, and is available for updates at any time. You can continue to work on it now, or you can log off of ROCIS and come back later.

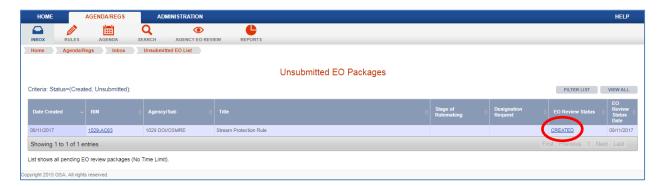


Figure 6.8: Unsubmitted EO Packages List (with New EO Package)

7. Using Your Inbox

ROCIS provides all users with an Inbox for tracking the progress of EO Reg Review requests. The inbox is divided into four sections, each of which is discussed below. Note the tab for the inbox on the top row of tabs. Regardless of the portion of the Inbox you are in, you can sort on any column heading to organize your work space. The sort works like a toggle switch. The first time a user clicks on the column heading, the column data is sorted. Clicking the column heading a second time will result in a reversal of the sort order from the first sort.

The first section of the Inbox is the 'unsubmitted' list. This list reflects all of the created EO Reg review packages for any agency/sub agency that you have access to, regardless of who created them. Once an EO package is created, it will remain in the unsubmitted list until it is submitted to OIRA or deleted from ROCIS.

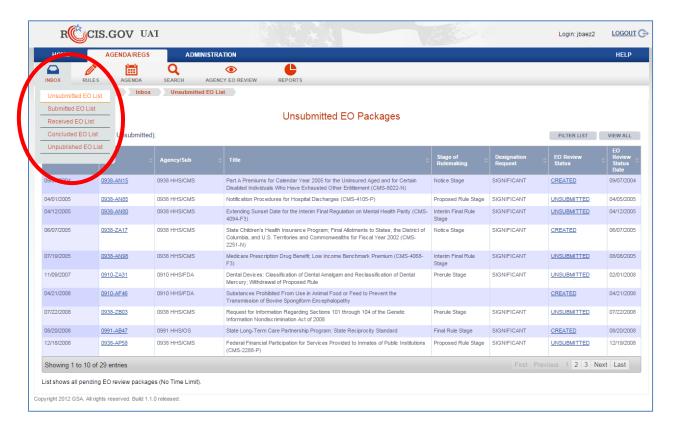


Figure 7.1: 'Unsubmitted' Inbox List

The next section of the Inbox is the 'Submitted List', which you can move to by selecting the "Submitted EO List" item from the Inbox menu. This list shows EO Reg Review packages that have been submitted to OIRA, but are not yet 'received'.

Submissions will normally remain in the submitted box for two business days. After that, they will become automatically received, provided an OIRA desk officer does not intervene. Once

the submission is received, it will be reflected in your 'Received' inbox. It will also appear on the ROCIS webpage www.reginfo.gov as a pending review.

An OIRA desk officer has the ability to override this process in two ways. While a request is in a submitted status, the desk officer can delay the request. The status will then be 'delay' (this action will be reflected in the in the submitted list if it occurs). The desk officer would then get in touch with your agency contact to discuss how to proceed with the review.

The desk officer can also eliminate the two day waiting period and accept the submission immediately.

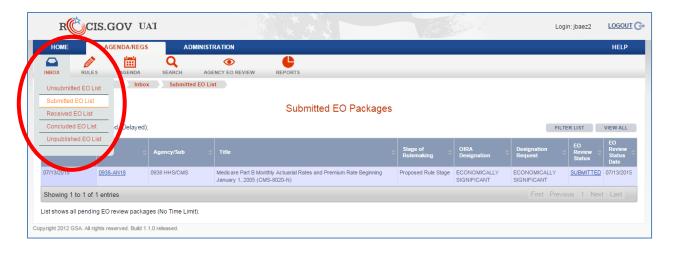


Figure 7.2: 'Submitted' Inbox List

The third section of your Inbox is the 'Received' list. This list shows those requests that are currently under review at OIRA. Your request will remain in the 'Received' list until the review is concluded.

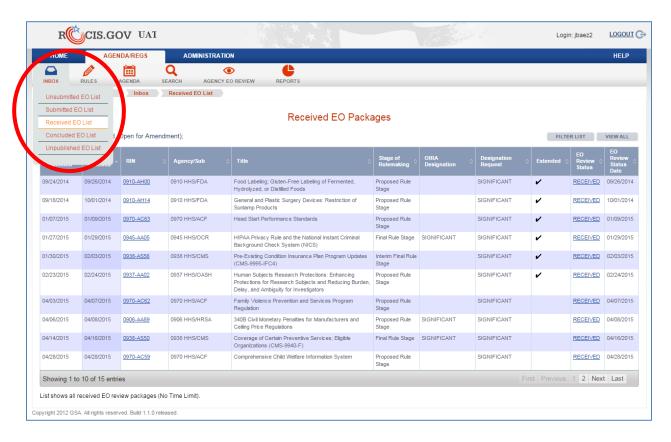


Figure 7.3: 'Received' Inbox List

The fourth section of your Inbox is the 'Concluded' list. Once OIRA concludes the review, your request will automatically be transferred to your Concluded inbox, where it will remain for 30 days. After that, it will no longer be accessible through the concluded list, but it can be located through the EO Reg Review 'Search' facility.

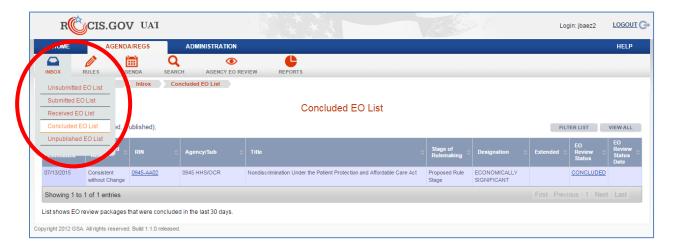


Figure 7.4: 'Concluded' Inbox List

The final section of your Inbox is the 'Unpublished' list. Once OIRA approves the review, your Agency can publish the associated rulemaking document(s) in the Federal Register. Users with access to update the FR Publication Date for concluded EO packages (EORC and RRP users) have access to the 'Unpublished' list. This list will include approved, but not published, EO packages for RINs that have been, or will be, published in the Unified Agenda.

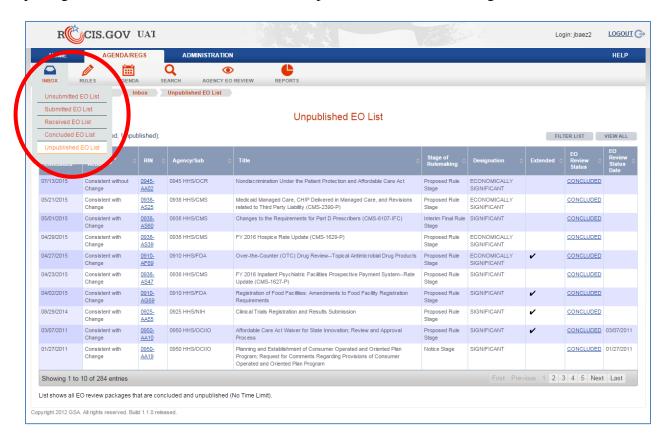


Figure 7.5: 'Unpublished' Inbox List

8. Locating an Existing EO Reg Review Package

Chapter 6 discussed how to create an EO Review package. Chapter 7 covered your inbox and how to see a list of all unsubmitted packages. For this example, we will use the unsubmitted list to access the EO Reg Review package to be updated. To bring up the package for edit, click on the 'CREATED' in the EO Review status column. NOTE: If you click on the RIN, you will be transferred to the 'View Rule' screen.

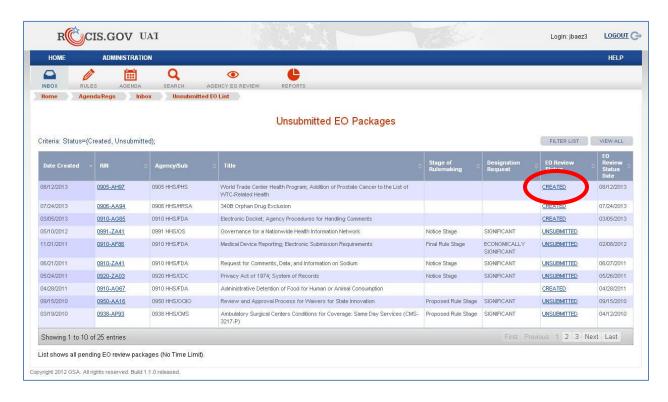


Figure 8.1: 'Unsubmitted' List with EO Package Selected

ROCIS will display the update screen for the EO package that was selected. Since most of the information was copied from the agenda, there is no data that needs to be added to this view of the package. However, the first two items below "EO Package" in the Agency EO Review menu indicate tasks that must be accomplished for all EO review packages, and the third is required if the rule is designated economically significant.

Click on the first of these items, the one labeled 'Contact'.

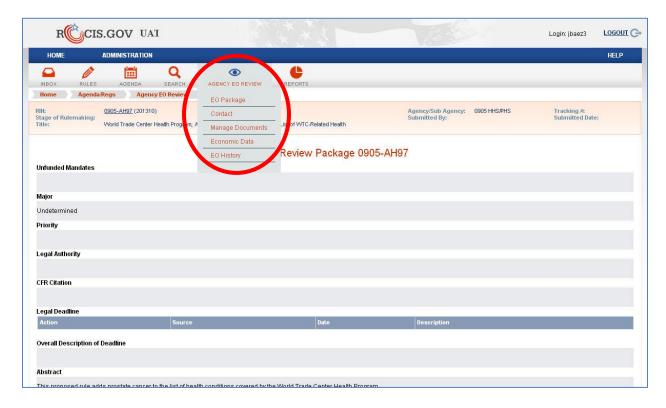


Figure 8.2: EO Package Screen with Update Tasks

9. Adding a Contact

The contact screen is displayed below. The contact that is identified for the EO Review package should be a subject matter expert who could answer any questions that the OIRA desk officer may have about the proposed rule.

Whenever ROCIS has a drop down list of values from which to choose, there is a small arrow at the end of the input box. For the list of contacts, ROCIS will display the values that the user is authorized to select from. To display the list, click on the downward arrow to the right of the contact box.

A list of contacts or users that can be selected will be displayed for you. If the name of the person that you wish to select is in the list, scroll to that name, and click the 'Add Existing Contact' button.

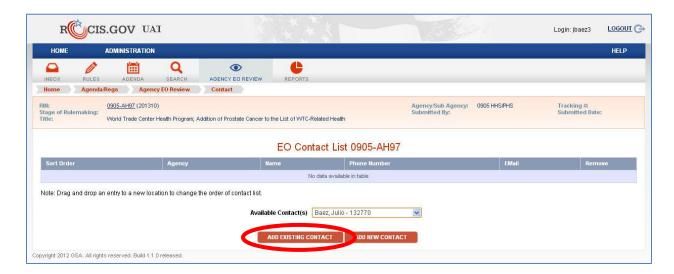


Figure 9.1: Contact Screen

If the name of the person you want to reference is not in the list, you will need to add the individual as a contact. To do that, select the 'Add New Contact' button.

In an effort to reduce or eliminate duplicate entries, ROCIS will force a search through the administrative task 'ROCIS Contact Administration' for the name you want to add. Enter some portion of the name that you want to use, and then click on the 'Search' button (hitting enter does not cause a search to occur).

The search results will be displayed at the bottom of the screen. The persons located through this search are not limited to EO Reg Review contacts. They represent all types of ROCIS contacts for your agency/sub agency, including those for the agenda module, the PRA module and the SORN module.

If you see the name that you want to add as a contact, click on the name in the search result portion of the page.

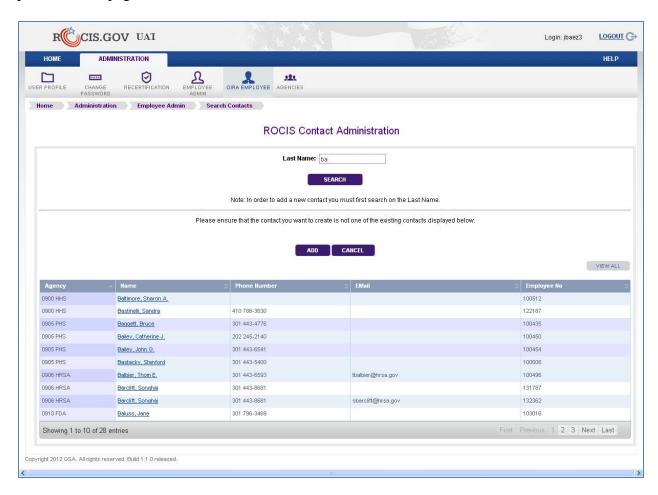


Figure 9.2: Contact List Search Result

In this example, Julio Baez was selected. Julio is in ROCIS as a contact for the agenda module. That can be determined by noting the arrow next to 'RIN Contact'. The arrow and active status are not highlighted because your role does not allow you to change agenda contacts. However, you can make Julio a contact for the EO Reg Review process by clicking on the box next to 'EO Contact'.

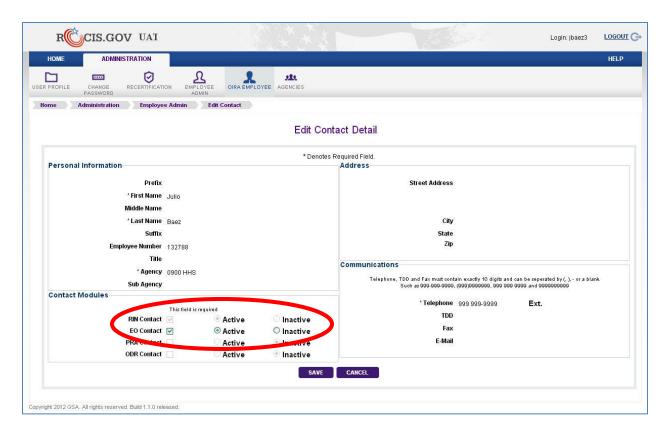


Figure 9.3: Contact Screen for Existing Contact

To make the change, scroll down to the bottom of the screen and click on the 'Save' button. After the information is saved, you will be returned to the EO Contact screen.

If the contact you wish to add is not found in the search of all existing contacts, click on the 'Add' button.

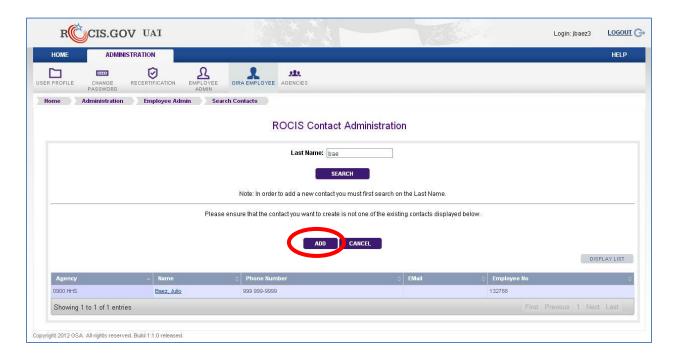


Figure 9.4: Contact Screen with 'Add' highlighted

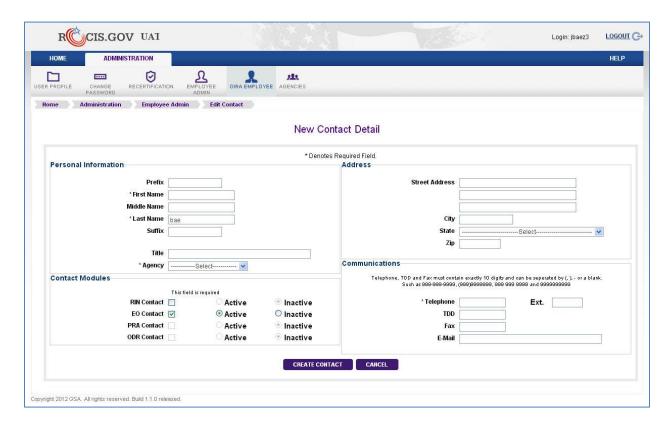


Figure 9.5: New Contact Screen

The 'New Contact Detail' screen captures information about the new contact. Any data item with an asterisk in front of the tag is a required field. Although 'Email' is not required, it is highly desirable that it be entered.

The agency item has a drop down list from which the agency or sub agency for the contact can be selected. This is an important decision if you are associated with a cabinet agency (except VA) or EPA. These have an agency level code which ends with '00', and a number of sub agencies. If the contact is associated with the agency code, he will appear in the drop down list for any sub agencies that are part of that agency. If he is associated with a sub agency, he will only appear in the drop down list for that sub agency.

In this example, the user has access to both '0600', the agency code for Department of Commerce, and the sub agency '0607', the Census Bureau, so both numbers are listed in the drop down list. If the user selects '0600' as Nancy's (the new contact), agency, Nancy Smith will appear as an EO contact for any sub agency within Commerce. If she is associated with 0607, she will only be a contact for Census. If someone were to create an EO package for sub agency 0605, Nancy would not appear in the list. If Nancy was supposed to be a contact for 0605, another contact record would have to be added showing her agency as '0605'. If Nancy should be a contact for all sub agencies within Commerce, but you don't have access to '0600', please contact someone who does and ask that user to set up Nancy's contact record. You can use the Employee Admin search described above to find someone with access to '0600'.

Click 'Create Contact' at the bottom of the screen. The new contact will be saved, and you will be returned to the 'EO Contact List' screen. All of the contacts that you have selected will be displayed. You can manipulate the order of the contacts by dragging and dropping the listed contacts to the desired sort position. You can also remove a contact by clicking on 'Remove' button.

If the contact information is complete, select the 'Manage Documents' tab to move to the new item required for the EO review package.

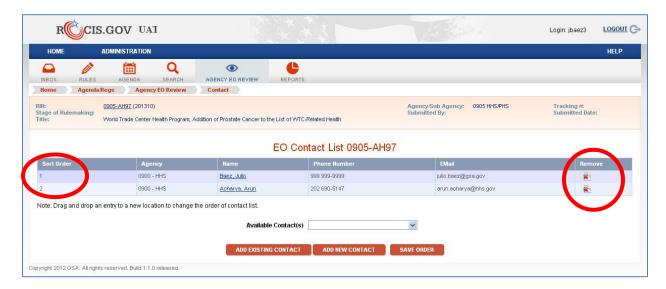


Figure 9.6: Completed EO Contact List

10. HOW TO Electronically Attach (Upload) EO REG Review Documents

To upload (electronically attach) the required documents, move to the 'EO Package' line of tabs and select 'Manage Documents'.

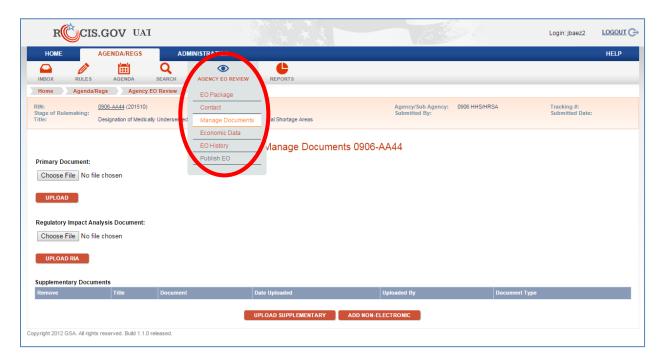


Figure 10.1: Manage Documents Screen

Every EO REG Review submission requires a rule document, which is considered the primary document for the EO package. It is often referred to as the proposed rule document, not because of the stage of rulemaking, but because it is the text being proposed by the agency.

The document to be uploaded must already be stored on your desktop in an electronic format. ROCIS will allow you to update almost any type of file. Most primary document files uploaded are either Word, Word Perfect or PDF formats. If your primary document is a Word file, insure that all final changes are accepted before the document is uploaded. There should be no comments or edits viewable in the document.

To upload a new document, click on the 'Browse' button. A new pop-up window will appear, displaying a list of files or directories for your desktop computer. Navigate through your files until the document to be uploaded is located. Click on the file name, and the name will be displayed in the 'file name' window near the bottom of the pop-up.

Next, click the 'Open' button, and the path to the document will appear in the ROCIS window on the 'Manage Documents' screen. Finally, click the 'Upload' button, and ROCIS will attach the file electronically to your submission.

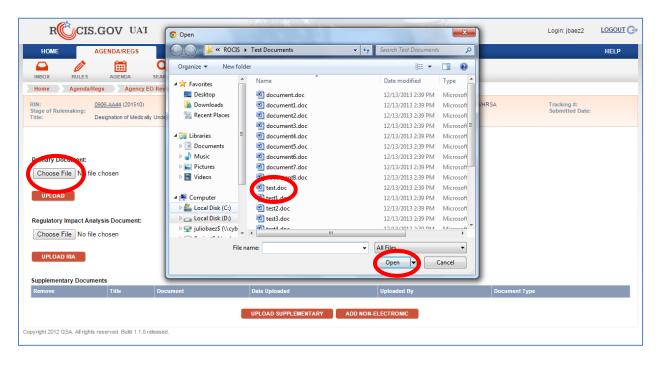


Figure 10.2: Upload Document Pop-up Screen with File Selected and Open Button

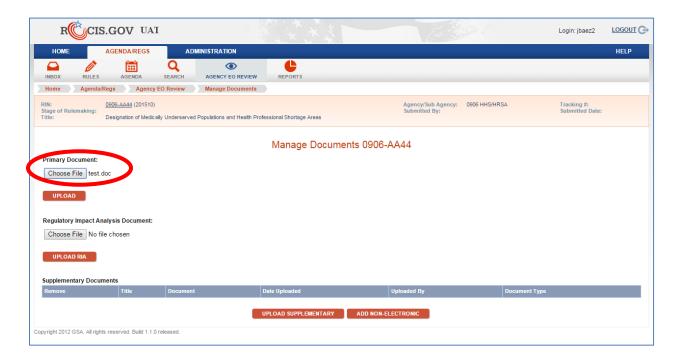


Figure 10.3: Path to Selected Document

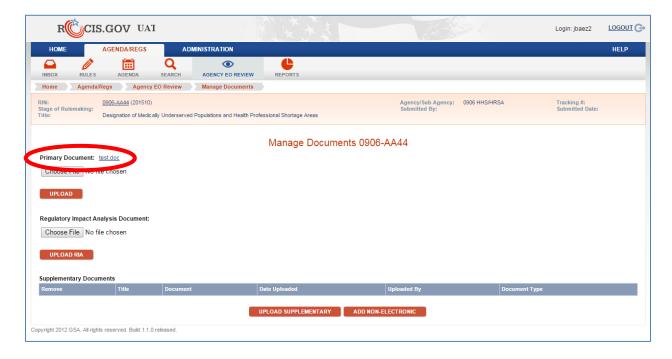


Figure 10.4: Manage Document Screen with Primary Document Uploaded

If you find that you want to replace this file before the request is submitted, simply repeat the steps above. Since there can be only one primary document, any new document uploaded will replace the one that is there.

Although only the primary document is required, OIRA encourages agency users to include a separate Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) document with their EO packages. To upload an RIA, follow the same steps for uploading a primary document.

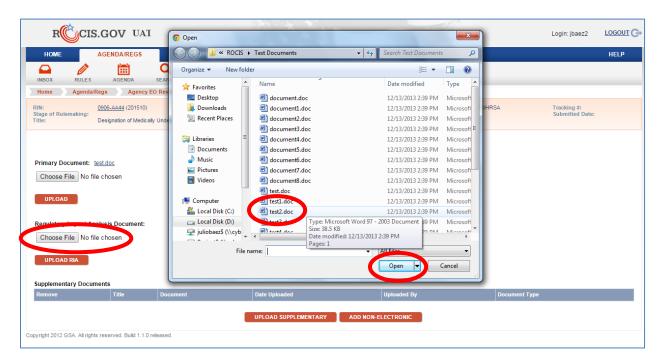


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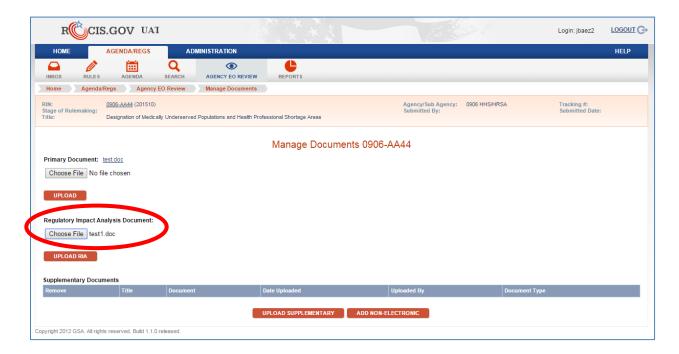


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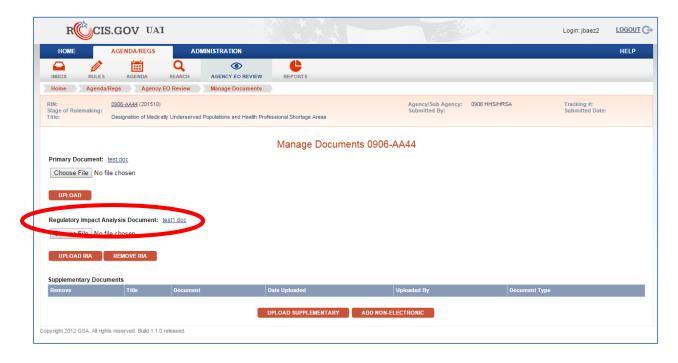


Figure 10.7: Manage Document Screen with Primary Document Uploaded

Users may want to include other documents in the package for OIRA to consider during the review. These documents can be uploaded as supplementary documents. To upload additional documents, click on the 'Upload Supplementary' button.

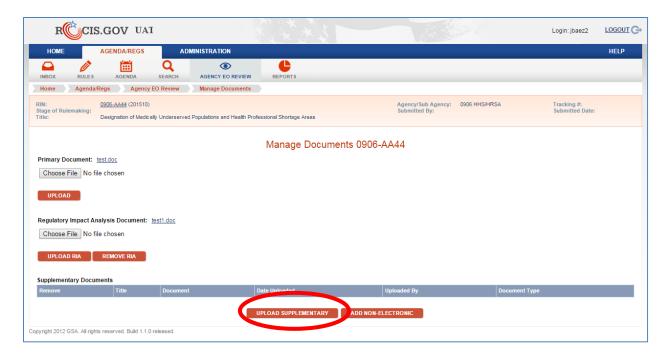


Figure 10.8: Upload Supplementary Button

Since multiple supplementary documents can be uploaded, each will need to be identified with a title and document date.

After entering those two items, the process to upload the document is identical to that for a primary document. Click on the 'Browse' button to locate the document.

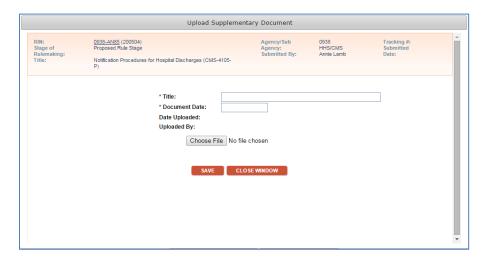


Figure 10.6: Upload Supplementary screen

If a document needs to be removed, check the box to the left of the document name, and click on the 'Remove' button.

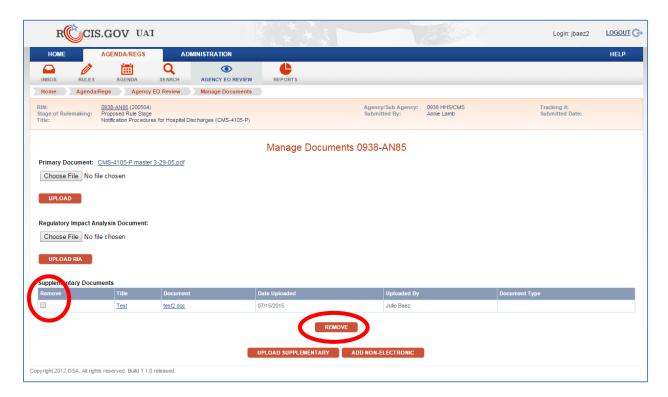


Figure 10.7: Upload Supplementary Document with Remove Button

ROCIS also provides the user with the ability to provide a document to OIRA that is not in a machine readable format. However, this should be viewed as a measure of last resort, since the document will need to be hand delivered to the New Executive Office building by a government employee. The agency employee will need to call the OIRA Records Management Center at 202-395-6880 to make an appointment to drop off the document.

To create a cover sheet, click on the 'Add Non-Electronic Document' button. The cover sheet will need to be filled out and then printed. It should be attached to the document so that when the document is received at OIRA, it can be routed to the appropriate desk officer to be included with the EO package.

| | Cover Sheet |
|---------------------|---|
| Document Informa | ation |
| RIN: | |
| Title: | EO User Guide Example |
| Publication Informa | ation: Test |
| Created Date : | 08/12/2013 |
| Author(s) | |
| First Name: | Julio |
| Last Name: | Baez |
| Affiliation: | Program Director |
| Contact Informatio | n |
| Creator Name: | Julio Baez |
| Agency: | Department of Health and Human Services |
| Address 1: | |
| Address 2: | |
| Address 3: | |
| City: | |
| State: | |
| Zip: | |
| Phone: | 999 999-9999 |
| | |
| Fax: | |

Figure 10.8: Cover Sheet for Non-Electronic Document

11. HOW TO Handle Economic Data

If the package you are building is for an economically significant rule, economic data will need to be included in the package before it can be submitted. To enter economic data, click on the 'Economic Data' tab.

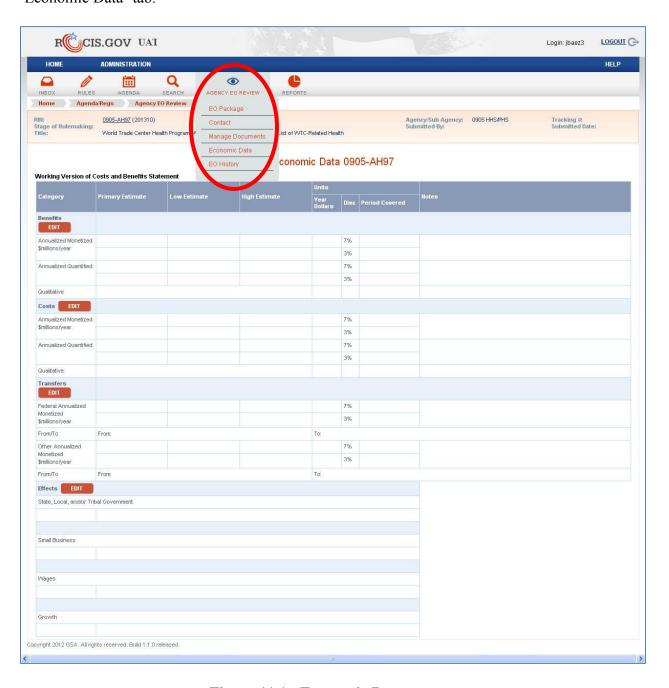


Figure 11.1: Economic Data screen

Economic data is highly specialized, and should be supplied by an economist at your organization. If there is a problem in entering the economic data, call the ROCIS Help Desk at 866-450-5250 to ask for assistance.

12. Adding Final Information and Submitting

Now that the package has been created, the contact added, the documents uploaded and, if necessary, the economic data entered, the EO Reg Review request is almost ready to be submitted to ROCIS.

Return to the EO Package screen and scroll down to the bottom.

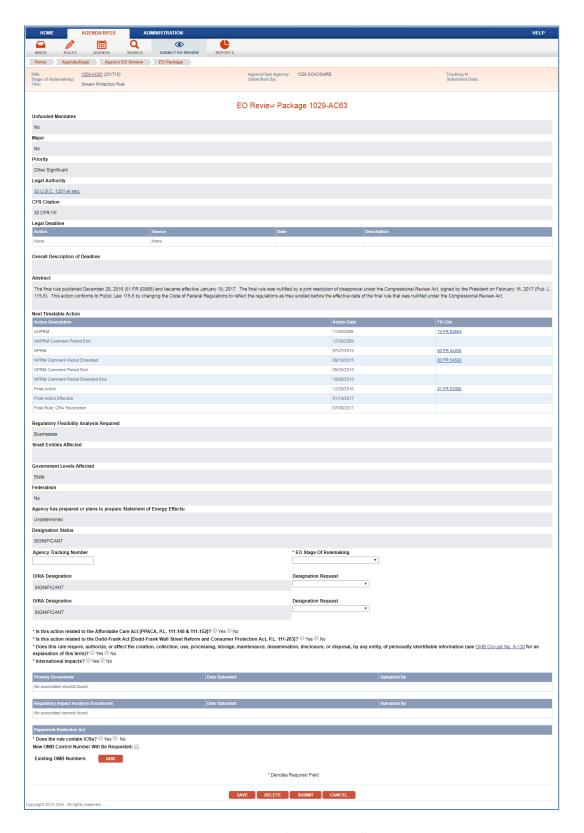


Figure 12.1: EO Package Screen

There are several additional items that must be entered into the request.

The first is the stage of rulemaking. Select the appropriate value from the drop down list provided by ROCIS.

The next is the designation. Again, there is a drop down list with three options available. Choose 'economically significant' if the rule will have an annual effect on the economy of \$100 million or more.

Choose 'significant' if the rule will adversely affect in a material way the economy, a sector of the economy, a sector of the economy, productivity, competition, jobs, the environment, public health or safety, or State, local, or tribal governments or communities. Any rules that create a serious inconsistency or otherwise interfere with an action taken or planned by another agency, materially alter the budgetary impact of entitlements, grants, user fees, or loan programs or the rights and obligations of recipients thereof; or raise novel legal or policy issues arising out of legal mandates, the President's priorities, or the principles set forth in this Executive order would also be designated 'Significant'.

Choose 'Not Significant' for anything not covered above.

Indicate whether or not the rule is related to the Affordable Care Act by selecting the appropriate option.

Indicate whether or not the rule is related to the Dodd-Frank Act by selecting the appropriate option.

Indicate whether or not the rule requires, authorizes, or affects the creation, collection, use, processing, storage, maintenance, dissemination, disclosure, or disposal, by any entity, of personally identifiable information by selecting the appropriate option.

Indicate whether or not the rule has international impacts.

Before the package can be saved, the question pertaining to ICRs must be answered. ICR stands for information collection request. These are requests that are reviewed by OIRA under the Paperwork Reduction Act, and eventually assigned an OMB control number. If you know the associated OMB control numbers, or know that one or more will eventually be collected, you can answer the related questions and then save the EO package. If you do not know, simply answer 'no' to save the package, and check with a paperwork contact at your office.

To find an ICR expert at your office, use the 'Employee Administration' search described earlier, and search for someone from your agency with the role of Authorized Paperwork Contact (APC). If you do not find anyone by searching on your sub agency, try the search again using your agency code.

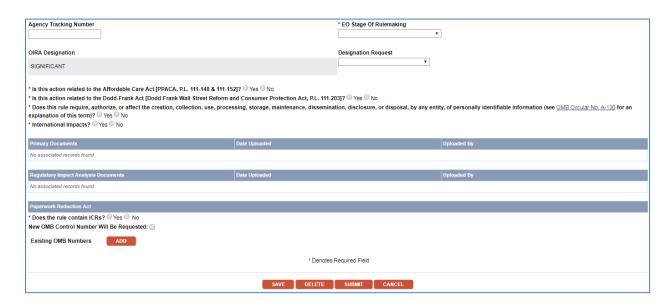


Figure 12.2: Bottom of EO Package Screen



Figure 12.3: Completed EO Package Screen

The request is now ready to be submitted. Whether the 'Submit' button is available on your screen depends on your level of access to the EO REG Review module. If you do not have the 'Submit' button, save your request and notify an EORC at your organization that the request is ready to be submitted to OIRA. If you do not know who has EORC privileges, refer to the section on Employee Administration to perform a search by agency and role.

If the 'Submit' button does appear on your screen, simply click it. ROCIS will reply with a confirmation message. If everything looks fine, click 'OK'. The request will immediately be submitted to OIRA, and you will be transferred to your 'Submitted Request List' where you can see the request status.

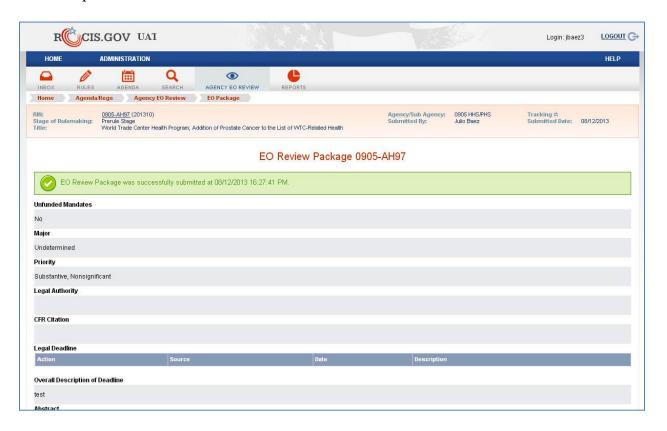


Figure 12.4: Confirmation of Submission

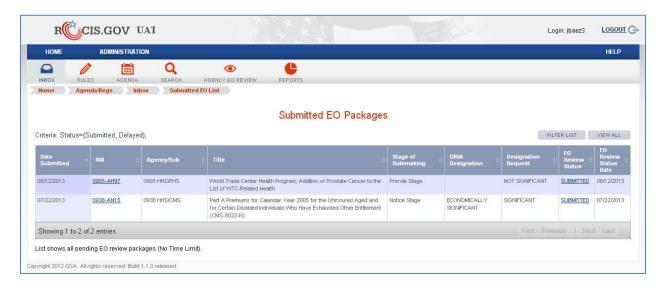


Figure 12.5: Submitted Request List

13. The Review Process and Open/Close for Amendment

When the EO Package is submitted, the ROCIS system saves the agency submission (EO REG Review data and documents), and that submission record is never altered. Instead, at the same time, the system makes an exact copy of the submission and provides it to OIRA. While the EO Package is under review, OIRA may request that the agency make changes to the submission. These changes will be made to the OIRA copy of the record. In order for the agency to make changes to the OIRA version of the package, an OIRA desk officer must open the record for amendment. Such an action on the part of OIRA will show as a change of status in the 'Received' list for the agency. The status will be changed to 'Open for Amendment'. Once a package has this status, the agency can operate on the submission by clicking on the status.

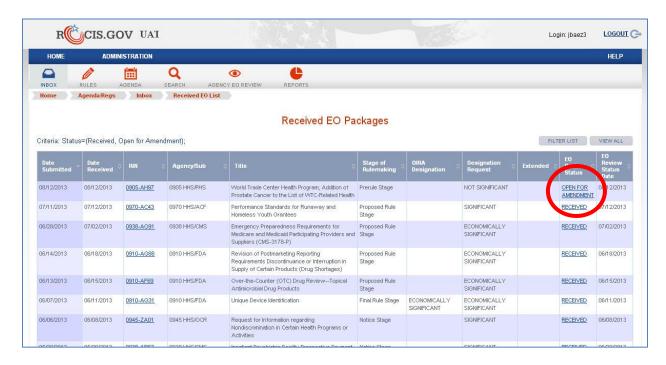


Figure 13.1: Received List showing EO Package Open for Amendment

The OIRA desk officer will have advised what is to be changed for the submission. Normally, this will entail adding a new version of the primary document. To upload a new version of the document, go to the 'Manage Documents' screen and click the 'Upload New Version' button.

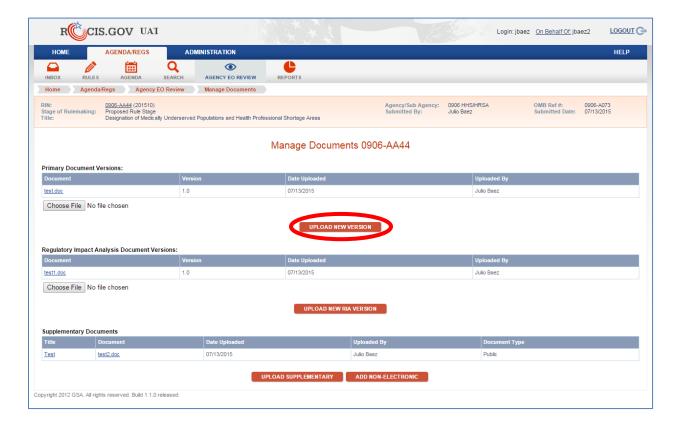


Figure 13.2: Manage Document Screen with 'Upload New Version' Button

The upload of the new version of the primary document will be done exactly as was done for the primary document before. Browse the desktop to locate the file, open it, and then hit the 'upload' button. Follow the same steps to upload a new version of the Regulatory Impact Analysis document, as required.

The new version will NOT overwrite the existing document, as occurred when the package was in a 'create' state. Instead, a new version of the document will be added to the submission.

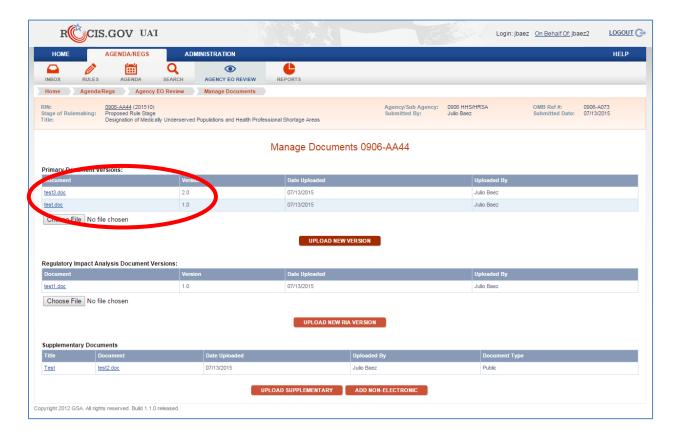


Figure 13.3: Manage Document Screen with Two Versions of Primary Document

Once the new version has been uploaded, return to the EO Package screen, and scroll to the bottom. There is now a new button displayed 'Submit Amendment'. Click it to submit the amendment. ROCIS will indicate to the OIRA desk officer that the package has been amended.



Figure 13.4: EO Package Screen with 'Submit Amendment' Button

The OIRA desk officer will subsequently close the package, and it will again show a status of 'Received' in the received list. Once the status is changed, the modifications made to the OIRA record will no longer be viewable by the agency. When an agency user views the submission, the user will be looking at the original version of the submission, not the modified copy 'belonging' to OIRA. That will be true until the review is concluded by OIRA. Once the review is concluded, the OIRA version of the record will become the displayed version of the review.

14. The Concluded Review

When OIRA concludes review of the EO REG Review submission, ROCIS will display the submission in the agency's Concluded Inbox for 30 days.

OIRA can conclude the review with any of a number of actions. These include:

- Reviewed without Change—the EO Package was reviewed by OIRA, and no substantive changes were necessary
- Reviewed with Change—the EO Package was reviewed by OIRA and changes were made by the agency to the submission
- Improperly Submitted—OIRA determined that the EO package was not appropriate for OIRA review
- Withdrawn—the submitting Agency asked that the EO package be withdrawn from consideration

The appropriate data on the concluded review will be displayed on the ROCIS public website www.reginfo.gov the day after the review is concluded.

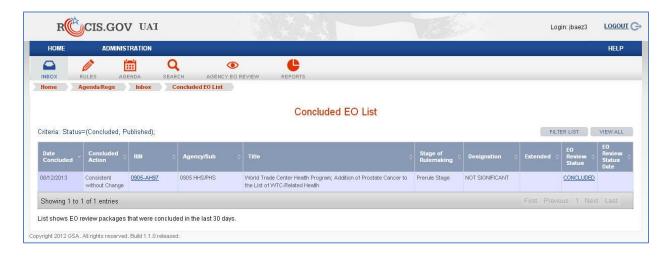


Figure 14.1: List of Concluded Reviews

15. Entering the FR Publication Date for an Approved Review

Once OIRA approves the review, your Agency can publish the associated rulemaking document(s) in the Federal Register. Users with EORC and/or RRP access can view approved, but not published, EO packages for RINs that have been, or will be, published in the Unified Agenda in the 'Unpublished' list. Select the desired EO package by clicking on the 'Concluded' link in the 'Unpublished' list.

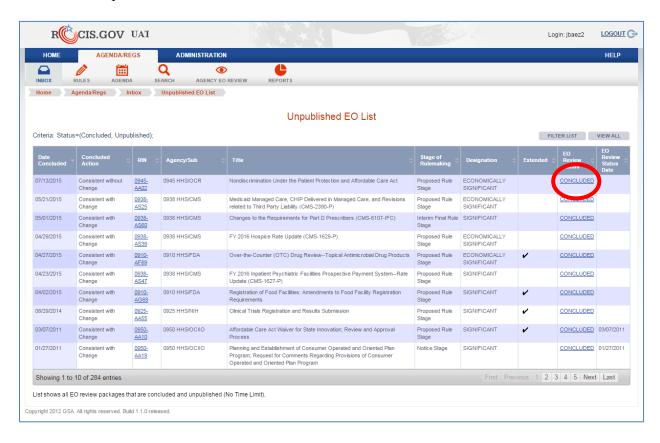


Figure 15.1: Unpublished EO List

Once the EO package has been opened, select the 'Publish EO' option from the Agency EO Review menu.

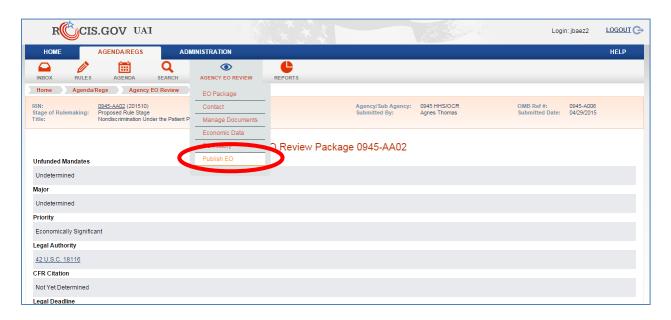


Figure 15.2: 'Publish EO' Option in Agency EO Review Menu

On the next screen, enter the FR publication date and click the 'Save Publication Date' button.

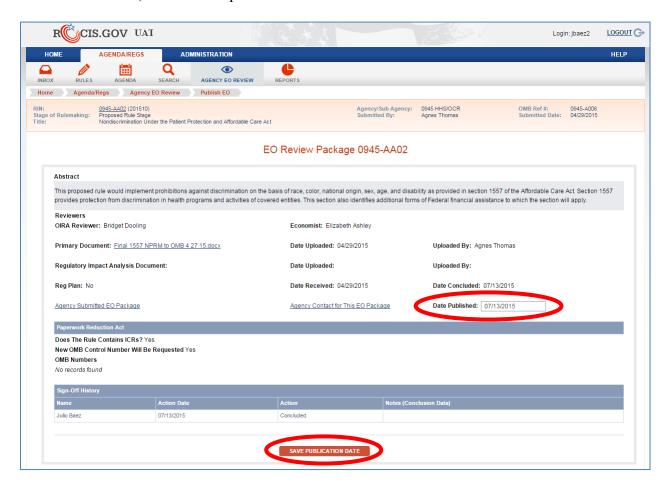


Figure 15.3: Date Published field and Save Publication Date button

After the FR publication date has been saved, the EO package appears in the Concluded Request List with a status of 'Published'.

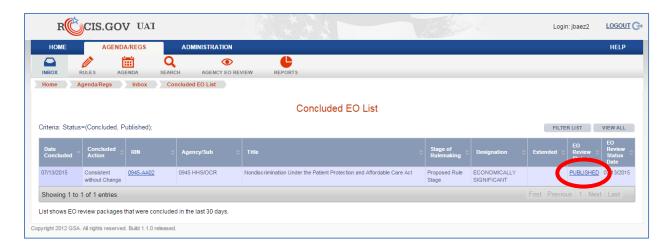


Figure 15.4: Concluded EO List with Published EO Package

Appendix A: EO Reg Review User Roles

There are five agency roles within ROCIS that have privileges associated with the EO Reg Review process within ROCIS:

Regulatory Review Processor (RRP) – This individual can create and update any type of EO REG Review-related request. This user can also update the FR publication date for approved, but not published, EO packages for RINs that have been, or will be, published in the Unified Agenda. To obtain a ROCIS account, he must go through his agency's Regs Privileges Point of Contact (see role description below) and sign a security agreement. He must also attend the EO Regulatory Review course offered by RISC.

Executive Order Regulatory Contact (**EORC**) – This individual can do everything that a RRP can do. He can also submit a request to OIRA for review of an EO REG Review on behalf of the agency. To obtain a ROCIS account, the EORC must go through the agency's Regs Privileges Point of Contact (see role description below) and sign a security agreement. He is also required to attend the EO Regulatory Review course offered by RISC. **Each agency must have at least one of these.**

Regs Privileges Point of Contact (RPPOC) – This person is the primary point of contact for an agency with regard to new accounts. If someone from an agency wants an account with access to the EO Reg Review module, the request must be made through the Regs Privileges Point of Contact. The RPPOC will inform the ROCIS technical team of whether the new user will be an RRP or an EORC and, if applicable, the sub agencies within the agency to which the user should have access (this applies mostly to Cabinet agencies and EPA). This role actually has no ROCIS privileges associated with it; however, most individuals in this role have an additional user role. **Each agency must have at least one of these.**

Authorized Regulatory Contact (**ARC**) – An individual with this role can update EO Reg review packages. This user can also update the FR publication date for approved, but not published, EO packages for RINs that have been, or will be, published in the Unified Agenda. This role also gives the user access to the agenda module of ROCIS.

Regulatory Data Entry Contact (RDEC) – This role allows a user to create and edit an EO Reg Review package. Additionally, it gives the user access to the agenda module of ROCIS.